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Oxford County Farmers Farm and Home Speakers

The 43d annual Farm and Home Week will be held at University of Maine, Orono, April 3-6. Reservations may be made with Philip S. Parsons at the University, and programs may be secured from him or from the Extension Service Office in South Paris.

Many prominent Oxford County farmers are on the program.

William Chapman, Bethel, is one of the speakers on the Beef Cattle Feeding and Management panel to be held Tuesday afternoon, April 4. Mr. Chapman has around 35 head of registered Shorthorns. He has built this herd up to where many foundation animals from his herd may be found in many parts of the state. He is noted for his quality roughage and state of fertility of his land. He also has potatoes and sweet corn as crops. Mr. Chapman has been village corporation assessor; president, local Lions club and Chamber of Commerce; Master of Masonic lodge; a member of the Farm Bureau Executive Committee; and is chairman of the community PMA Committee; was a 4-H club leader, and has been president of the Maine Shorthorn Breeders' Association.

Wilson Morse, Waterford, will be on a panel discussion concerning Apple Orchard Fertilization, Tuesday morning, April 4. Mr. Morse has about 2,000 trees, mostly McIntosh and Cortland. He worked with his father as Frank H. Morse & Son on a dairy farm which was completely turned to apples in 1931. Mr. Morse's son, Frank H., second, joined the farm in 1940. They have 100,000 apple trees, 100,000 bushels of apples. Mr. Morse is the president of the New York-New England Apple Institute and a director of the National Apple Institute. He is a former president of the Maine Pomological Society, and a former member of the Agricultural Advisory Committee at the University of Maine. He is a local school board member and first selectman in Waterford. He is former chairman of the Oxford County United Farm, and an ex-moderator of the Congressional Conference. Mr. Morse was named an Outstanding Maine Farmer in 1949. He was one of the first to start cellophane packaging of apples — he started with a home-made packager and has now converted a bread wrapper.

PURCHASE AND USE OF EASTER SEALS URGED BY SOCIETY

"Maine people are doing their pre-Easter planning with real thought for something that will keep its value all year long: care for our crippled children," according to Mrs. Burton L. Preston, Executive Director of the Pine Tree Society for Crippled Children and Adults, Inc. in a recent interview. "This year our friends and even people who know us only slightly have devised ways to assure continuance of the work the Society does for children and adults suffering from cerebral palsy, amputations, osteomyelitis, poliomyelitis, etc."

Listing events that have already taken place as well as several scheduled for the next few weeks, Mrs. Preston mentioned a Fashion Show in Portland, a benefit Bridge and Tea given at the Governor's Mansion in Augusta, a Square Dance by the Topsham Grange and a benefit supper served before the Town Meeting in Dixfield.

Still to come are a tea on Palm Sunday, an Easter Ball in Skowhegan and a mammoth square dance in Bethel, the latter to be held on April 14th.

"It always amazes people to find out how much they can enjoy doing something for the benefit of other people who cannot do it themselves — like square dancing. They have fun and the hundreds of orthopedically handicapped children who depend on us for treatment are able to learn to walk," Mrs. Preston said.

Asked specifically what portion of the money from the Sale of Easter Seals is used to help children in the State of Maine, Mrs. Preston explained that, "92% stays in Maine and the other 8% is used by the National Society for research, education and consultation to State Societies such as ours. They help us plan our program and give us the benefit of the experience of 51 similar societies throughout the nation."

More than 450 local chairmen in the state cover every town, some chairmen serving neighboring com-

ing machine to wrap apples. He has been active in promoting apples all over the country, especially in connection with the Apple Parade in Aroostook. He was constantly a member of the 90% Clean Apple Club, and is one of the first to have an irrigation system for irrigating his orchard during dry years. He was a member of the Executive Committee of the Oxford County Farm Bureau seven years.

Another orchardist on the program is Clarence E. Conant, of Hiram, who will preside at the Maine State Pomological Society meeting on Tuesday afternoon. Mr. Conant is president of this society. He has been orchardist for 19 years, taking over his father's orchard back in 1931. He has about 2,000 trees, mostly McIntosh, and is a member of the Maine Apple Growers' Cooperative of Buckfield.

Rev. Douglas Harwood, who is the Pastor of the Congregational Christian Church at Center Lovell, will preside over the Rural Church program, Tuesday morning. Mr. Harwood has been in Oxford County four years. He was an army chaplain and previously came from Spring Valley, in New York State. He is chairman of the Rural Life Committee of the Maine Council of Churches.

Other people who will be on the program are: Milton Keene, Canton, a Milking Shorthorn breeder, who will preside over the Milking Shorthorn Breeders' meeting, Tuesday evening; E. P. Osgood, Fryburg, who is chairman of the Maine Milk Control Board, will be on a discussion period under the Maine Milk Dealers' Association program, Tuesday afternoon; Francis G. Buzzell, Fryburg, Chief, Division of Animal Industry, will be on the Beef Cattle and Management panel, Tuesday afternoon, and will discuss the progress on brucellosis control, Wednesday morning; James G. Chadbourne, a vegetable gardener from North Bridgton, will be on a panel discussion, "The Production of Quality Vegetables," Wednesday afternoon; Dick Blanchard, former Oxford County Agent, will be on a discussion period of the Maine Milk Dealers' Association program, Tuesday afternoon; M. O. Lord, orchardist from Kezar Falls, will be on a panel discussion, "Timing the Apple Harvest," Tuesday afternoon, and on the "Apple Orchard Fertilization" panel, Wednesday morning.

MR. AND MRS. GEORGE WIGHT LOSE HOME IN QUICK FIRE

The home of Mr. and Mrs. George Wight in Union village was burned to the ground Monday morning. It is believed that the fire started from the parlor stove. A barn nearby was saved by the neighbors.

Only a washing machine and a box of clothing were saved. Of their family of nine children, seven were at home at the time.

WORK ON PIPELINE STARTED LAST WEEK

Work has started on clearing the right of way for laying an 18 inch pipe line from South Portland to Montreal. It was announced last week by the Portland Pipe Line Co. Excavation is planned to start next month, alongside the 12-inch line laid in 1941 and the schedule calls for completion in November.

A total of 220,000 sheets of seals have been mailed with letters asking for assistance from Maine residents whether they have had any occasion to know of the Society's work previously or not. The letter also asks that the Society be informed of any crippled child whom it can help.

"We hope that everyone who buys Easter Seals this year will use them," Mrs. Preston urged. "Put them on your letters to your friends, on the milk bill, on birthday cards and on everything else you mail. A spot check of more than 500 letters received from all over the country by the State of Maine Publicity Bureau on a recent Monday showed only one letter with an Easter Seal on it. This letter was postmarked in a town in Iowa. We hope that every letter mailed in Maine between now and Easter will be stamped with an Easter Seal to help the Pine Tree Society for Crippled Children and Adults, Inc."

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Elwood F. Ireland, principal of Gould Academy, announces that Merle R. Noyes, is the 1950 winner of the Bausch & Lomb Honorary Science Award Medal for achieving the highest scholastic record in science subjects during his high school course. Only winners of this award are eligible to compete for four scholarships sponsored by Bausch & Lomb Optical Co. at the University of Rochester.

The Science Award Medal is presented upon graduation. However, the winner must be selected at an early date because applications for Bausch & Lomb Scholarships must be filed on or before March 10. The choice of the winner is based upon scholastic achievement in science subjects, with incidental consideration of records in other subjects, qualities of leadership, and extra-curricular activities.

The Honorary Science Award Medal was instituted in 1932. It is presented in thousands of secondary schools throughout the country. The Bausch & Lomb Science Scholarships were established in 1944. The four Scholarships have a value of \$1,500 each.

Both the Science Award and the Scholarship Program have been officially approved by the National Association of Secondary School Principals and educators throughout the country. They are recognized as significant evidence of scientific aptitude and have proved the means of encouraging countless young people to the consideration of scientific careers.

GUILD TO SERVE EASTER BREAKFAST

The members of the Ladies Club were guests at the meeting of the Guild at the home of Mrs. A. Van Van Den Kerkhof Wednesday evening. A selection, "Easter Tradition," was read by Mrs. Elwood Ireland. The program included a Preview of Spring Fashions by Mrs. Grace Macfarlane and Mrs. Lucile Tikander, with Mrs. John Howe as commentator and Mrs. Laurence Lord pianist.

An Easter breakfast will be held at the Congregational Church Easter morning at 8 o'clock. Mrs. Ruth Dorion is chairman of the breakfast committee which includes Mrs. Katharine Adams, Mrs. Violet Bennett and Mrs. Errol Donahue. Miss Helen Varner will be in charge of the dining room assisted by five girls as waitresses. Tickets will be sold by a committee headed by Mrs. Grace Macfarlane.

The next meeting, on April 12, will be a work meeting at the church, to which members will bring ideas and materials for the Summer Sale.

SUNSET REBEKAH LODGE

Sunset Rebekah Lodge met Monday evening. The date of the public supper, sponsored by the lodge was set for March 29. Committees for the supper are: supper, Mrs. Errol Donahue, Mrs. Carl Brown, Mrs. Clayton Mills; tickets, Miss Beatrice Brown; waitresses, Mrs. Walter Jodrey; dining room, Mrs. Henry Godwin, Mrs. Gerald Kneeland, Mrs. Loton Hutchinson. It was voted to have a supper at the district meeting April 22.

The final game party will be held at the hall on April 4 with a supper at 6:30. Committees in charge are: supper, Mrs. Ruth Dorion, Mrs. Errol Donahue, Mrs. Clayton Mills, Mrs. Katharine Adams; dining room, Miss Beatrice Brown, Mrs. Henry Godwin, Mrs. Vernon Brown.

The next meeting will be held April 5 with an observance of the birthday of Schuyler Colfax, founder of the Rebekah organization. Mrs. Chester Briggs will be in charge of the program.

A game party was held Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. Clayton Mills with nine tables in play. Hostesses were Miss Beatrice Brown, Mrs. Bert Brown, Mrs. Katharine Adams, Mrs. Ruth Dorion, Mrs. Robert Davis, Mrs. Frederick Kneeland, Mrs. Walter Jodrey, and Mrs. Elaine. Prizes were awarded as follows: whist, first, Mrs. Harold Rolfe, Miss Alice Bennett, Charles Reed, consolation, Harold Rolfe, Mrs. Fred Wheeler, Mrs. Roscoe Trull, Lawrence Sanders; consolation, Mrs. Leland Brown, Frederick Kneeland, Bridge, first, Charles Kneeland, Mrs. Robert Lord, Mrs. Herbert Rowe, Wallace Sanders; consolation, Mrs. Francis Noyes, Mrs. Laurence Lord, Mrs. Noyes and Mrs. Wallace Sanders.

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LIONS POVERTY BALL NEXT THURSDAY EVENING

On Thursday evening, March 30, in the William Bingham Gym, the Bethel Lions Club will hold a public dance and card party, designated as a Poverty Ball, and aimed right at the heart of those citizens, young and old, who like to dance, play canasta, bridge, whist, or old maids. At a Poverty Ball, everyone should dress like most of us feel after Uncle Sam has taken us to the cleaners, on March 15—that is, if not exactly in sackcloth and ashes, at least the nearest thing to it. Rags and patches, holey shoes, pathetic pants, ragged dresses, swarty sweat shirts, and whiskered physogs, may all be worn with impunity and savior faire.

There will be a door prize, and prizes for the most disreputable lady and gent. Lord's orchestra will give with the be-bop, the swing, the Charleston, and the bunny hug. The Lions are putting their paws out especially in the direction of the young crowd home on vacation from college, while shaking a coy mane in the direction of the married couples, young and old, who maintain the balanced home life of our town. The tickets are sold on a "twosome" basis, one ticket admitting a him and a her.

Every Lion has several tickets which he is just in a tropical persuasion to sell. Dale Thurston, official tall twister, is ticket chairman. It's a dead sure thing that at such a party, "the crowd's the thing," and makes its own good time. All net proceeds go right back into worthy Bethel channels from the Lions Activity Fund, which means glasses for deserving Bethel boys and girls. So — why not come to one of the few public good times, dances and card parties held in Bethel, trip the light fantastic, bid seven or trump, relax in the oldest duds you can scrape on your frame, give the girl friend a peppy evening? If a lame Lion fails to approach you, come just the same—tickets will be on sale at the door on this evening of fun, frolic, festivity, and general whoop-dee-doo.

ASSESSORS' NOTICE

The Assessors of the Town of Bethel hereby give notice to all persons liable to taxation in said Town, that they will be in session at the Selectmen's Office in said Town, on the first day of April, at 10 o'clock a. m. for the purpose of receiving lists of the polls and estates taxable in said town.

All such persons are hereby notified to make and bring to said Assessors true and perfect lists of their polls and all their estates real and personal, not by law exempt from taxation, which they were possessed of, or which they held as guardian, executor, administrator, trustee, or otherwise on the first day of April, 1950, and be prepared to make on oath to the truth of the same.

When estates of persons deceased have been divided during the past year, or have changed hands from any cause, the executor, administrator or other persons interested, are hereby warned to give notice of said change and in default of such notice will be held under the law to pay the tax assessed although such estate has been wholly distributed and paid over.

Any person who neglects to comply with this notice will be DEEMED to a tax according to the laws of the state, and be barred of the right to make application to the Assessors or County Commissioners for any abatement of his taxes unless he offers such list with his application and satisfies them that he was unable to offer it at the time hereby appointed.

Special Notice to Veterans
All Veterans who may consider themselves exempt from Poll and/or Property tax MUST substantiate their claims by presenting a certificate from the VETERANS' ADMINISTRATION showing the extent of their disability and compensation as of April 1, 1950. These certificates MUST be presented at the Office of the Assessors (Selectmen's Office) before the close of business on April 1, 1950, otherwise the tax will be assessed.

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Bethel, Maine, March 23, 1950 13

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DANA C. PHILBROOK

Dana C. Philbrook died early Wednesday morning at his home on Mechanic Street after several years of failing health.

He was born in Bethel April 26, 1871, the son of Samuel D. and Emily J. Philbrook. He was educated in the local schools, Gould Academy, and the Waltham Horological School.

On June 3, 1896, Mr. Philbrook was married to Miss Grace Merrill. He was engaged in the watch repairing business for many years. He was a member of Bethel Lodge, F. and A. M.

Besides his wife he is survived by a son, Clarence D. of Schenectady, N. Y.; a daughter, Mrs. Ernestine Jackson, of North Easton, Mass.; two granddaughters; and a sister, Mrs. Edward King, of Fellsme, Fla.

Funeral services will be held at the Greenleaf funeral home at two o'clock Saturday afternoon, Rev. K. W. Hawthorne officiating.

BETHEL AND VICINITY

Mrs. Sadye Robertson has employment at Bingham.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Dexter spent the week end at Damariscotta.

Read the Bosserman's Pharmacy ad in this issue.

Mrs. S. S. Greenleaf attended the Flower Show in Boston last week.

Mrs. Mildred Wilbur underwent surgery at the Rumford hospital Tuesday.

Jerry Davis, a student at Springfield College, is at his home for a vacation.

Mrs. Harry Mason spent last week in Boston and attended the flower show.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Clunie spent the week end at their home in Damariscotta.

Jason Smith has returned from the CMG Hospital, Lewiston, where he was a surgical patient.

Miss Alice Bennett, teacher at Bar Harbor, is enjoying a week's vacation at her home here.

Arthur Morgan was a patient at the Pratt Diagnostic Hospital, Boston, several days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Sweetser of Bethel have purchased the new home of Avon Virge on Vernon Street.

Local collectors for the Red Cross drive are asked to leave their collections at the Ruth Carver Ames office.

Mr. and Mrs. Dana G. Brooks and Dr. Grover Brooks attended the Sportsman's Show at Portland Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Kimball Ames, Nancy and Catherine Carver left Monday to spend several weeks on a vacation trip to Florida.

Mrs. Elizabeth Thurston, who has spent the winter at Pleasant, Fla., returned Wednesday to her home on Mechanic Street.

Cynthia and Charle Chayer of South Weymouth, Mass., are guests of their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Linwood Lowell.

Cpl. Herbert Lyon returned Sunday to Seattle, Wash., after spending a month with relatives here. He will leave soon for duty in Japan.

The Preview of Spring will be presented again on Tuesday evening, March 28, at 8 o'clock for members of the WSCS and the Eleanor Gordon Guild.

The next regular meeting of Bear River Grange, No. 235, will be held Saturday evening, April 1. The first and second degrees will be worked at this time.

A delegation from the Bethel Players will be guests of the Penryn Players at Norway next Tuesday evening. The visit will be returned later in the spring.

Roe Toothaker, local game warden, left Monday for three weeks at Warden's School at Camp Keweenaw, Augusta. Mrs. Toothaker is visiting relatives at Houlton.

Charles E. Cross came for his mother, who has spent three weeks with her daughter, Mrs. Guy Rice, and family Monday to return to her home at Locke Mills.

Week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bartlett were Edward Hutchins of Brandon, Vt., Charles Hutchins of Crown Point, N. Y., and Mr. and Mrs. Chester French of Norway.

Lee Carver, a freshman at Yale University, was on the Dean's List recently announced. On the Dean's List at the University of Maine are Miss Marilyn Noyes and Richard O. Emmons.

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10 KILLED ON MAINE HIGHWAYS IN FEB.

Ten persons were killed as the result of eight motor vehicle traffic accidents in Maine during February. Eight of this total occurred in rural areas. The two urban deaths were the result of auto-train collisions as also were two of the eight rural deaths.

Total deaths for the first two months of this year were exactly the same as last year but rural deaths showed an increase of 22% and urban deaths a decrease of 20%.

For the first time on record there were no pedestrians killed during the month of February. We might, however, take warning from this and make certain that the next pedestrian killed—and the law of averages says this time is not too far distant—will not be you.

Five of the persons killed were passengers—four were drivers and one was a sliding death.

Accidents generally have increased during the first two months of this year. Those investigated by the State Police have increased 26% and the reports from individual drivers is also up by 17%.

Hazardous driving conditions, created by snow and ice, have lasted for a much longer period this winter than is usual.

This, however, has not been the sole cause of our accident increase. Poor judgment and driving too fast for conditions on the part of many of our Maine drivers is mostly the reason. Too many drivers are not assuming the responsibility that should go with the operation of a motor vehicle when on a public way. Inattention on the part of drivers is evidenced by the undue increase in railroad accidents.

Twenty-one of these accidents resulting in six deaths have occurred this year and practically all in locations with which the drivers were thoroughly familiar. This can mean only thoughtlessness or inattention on the part of the drivers. We should all benefit by these tragedies and resolve on our part to be alert and to be good drivers. The good driver's actions indicate a respect for his own life, and above all, for the lives of others.

Sgt. John deWinter, Director, Division of Traffic and Safety, Maine State Police.

MAINE SPORTS SHOWS FEATURING FISHERIES EXHIBITS

The exhibits of the Department of Sea and Shore Fisheries which have been on display at Sportsmen's shows in Boston, New York and Chicago during the past two months returned to Maine last week to participate in similar shows in five Maine cities, Robert L. Dow of the Department announced.

The first was at the Rumford Sports Show, March 16th through 18th. This exhibit displayed the Maine coast in relief with each lighthouse electrically illuminated. Various types of salt water fishing tackle were also shown. Later this exhibit will be moved to the Brunswick Show which will run from March 24th through April 1st. Assigned to the Rumford Show were Coastal Warden John Anderson of Kennebunk and Thomas Varnum of Boothbay Harbor, at Brunswick will be Warden Supervisor Warren Hume of Boothbay Harbor and Warden James Thurston of Bath.

At the Portland Sportsman's and Boat Show, which runs from March 24th through 25th, will be the exhibit which depicts a section of the Maine coast including a lighthouse and a fisherman's boat.

Ross Knapp, who has been in California with his daughter, returned home Monday.

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MRS. FRANCES HAYES

Mrs. Frances Hayes, the only daughter and last surviving child of former U. S. president, Rutherford B. Hayes, died Sunday night at the Marquette home, Lewiston, after a lingering illness. Mrs. Hayes was born Sept. 2, 1876, at Walnut Hill, now a part of Cincinnati, Ohio, the sixth child of her parents. Her father was then an Ohio Congressman and later served as governor of Ohio for three terms.

The family moved to Spiegel Grove, Fremont, Ohio, in 1873, but her father was elected the 19th president in 1877, when Fanny was ten years of age. So much of her early life was spent in the Governor's Mansion and in the White House.

She attended private schools after her parents returned to Ohio in 1881.

In 1897 she married Ensign Harry E. Smith of Fremont and her early married life was spent at the Annapolis Naval Academy, where he advanced to the head of the Mathematics department in which he taught.

She was divorced soon after World War I and resumed her maiden name.

Her only son, Dalton, who also dropped the name of Smith, died last January. He served in both World Wars, being wounded in the first war, where he was with the famous Old Fighting 69th of New York. During the last war he was with the Army Intelligence Service in South Africa. Mr. and Mrs. Dalton Hayes lived in Cuba several years, and there their two daughters were born.

Mrs. Hayes has been a summer resident of Maine for many years, staying with her husband at a cottage at Twitchell Pond, Greenwood, for several seasons. More than twenty years ago she bought one of the oldest houses at Bryant Pond, near Lake Christopher, and had it made into an attractive summer home. The past sixteen winters she has lived at the Marquette home.

Her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Corinne Hayes, was with her during her last illness.

Mrs. Hayes is also survived by her two granddaughters, Chloe of Schenectady, N. Y., and Jean of Cambridge, Mass., and by four nephews.

Funeral services will be held at Fremont, Ohio, Friday and burial will be in the family cemetery at Spiegel Grove.

Mrs. Herbert Wheeler is ill at her home with phlebitis.

Mrs. Hazen Emory was taken to the Maine Eye and Ear Infirmary, Portland, last Thursday, where she is improving after an appendectomy.

Orin Mason went to Boston, Monday and returned home Wednesday, attending the flower show.

Judith Grover Tent 17, D of UV, met at the home of Mrs. Inez Whitman, Tuesday evening, March 14, with ten members present. It was voted to contribute to the Red Cross drive. Following the meeting Beale Dunham and Edith Whitman served sandwiches, cookies and coffee and a social time was enjoyed. The next meeting will be March 28.

Fourteen members of Evergreen Temple, Pythian Sisters, were guests of Lake Temple, Norway, for the supper and meeting, March 15. Readings for the program were given by Mrs. Barbara Hathaway and Past Grand Chancellor Alden Chase.

Mrs. Glynne Brooks, Yarmouth.

GREENWOOD CITY

Mr. and Mrs. Roland Hayes and family were in Portland over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Morgan called at Carroll Cottage's, South Paris, on Sunday.

Joan Tamminen of this town and Phelps Poland of Woodstock were married March 11 by Rev. Alton Verrill. They were given a reception on Saturday evening at the IOOF Hall, at West Paris. Many of the people from here attended.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonas Holt and family were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Bacon at West Paris.

Mr. and Mrs. Olva Hakala were at their home here over the week end. They have been at Shagg Pond all winter.

spent the day Wednesday of last week with her brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Winfield Noyes.

Mrs. Fannie Ross, Mrs. Elden Hathaway and daughter, Susan, were the dinner guests Friday of Mrs. Randall Williams at Ridlonville.

Mr. and Mrs. Rupert Hathaway were the week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Pellerine at Portland.

The Star Birthday Club met at the home of Mrs. Esther Farnum Tuesday evening, with 26 members in attendance. She was assisted in entertaining by Mrs. Edna Newton, Mrs. Edith Hathaway, Mrs. Juanita Allen, Mrs. Edith Littlefield and Mrs. Grace Day. Several guessing contests were enjoyed and refreshments were served by the hostesses.

Mrs. Lillian Waterhouse, who has stayed at the Eastland Hotel, Portland, this winter, was in town Friday, the guest of friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Alden Chase entertained over the week end their son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Faulkner Chase and two children of Farmington.

Rev. and Mrs. James MacKillop, Mr. and Mrs. Donald MacDowell, North Livermore, visited Mr. and Mrs. Howard MacKillop, Tuesday March 14.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Douglas Thompson, son Peter, and Mr. and Mrs. James Billings were the guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. George Whitaker, Berlin, N. H.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Curtis, East Lansing, Mich., are spending a short vacation from his studies at the University of Michigan, with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. Kirke Stowell.

The many friends of Mr. and Mrs. Ervin A. Bacon of Logansport, Indiana, will be very sorry to hear the sad news that Mrs. Bacon passed on March 8.

Mr. and Mrs. Bacon have spent several summer vacations in this town at Joy Cottage and also at Brookside Cottage on Main St. formerly known as Little Jap. They were here last in 1946, when they spent a few days at Brookside, making trips from here to Norway and also to the coast.

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ALBANY TOWN HOUSE AND VICINITY

Mrs. Anne Bumpus, Corres.—
 Rev. W. I. Bull conducted the church service at the Town House Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Andrews and family were callers at W. L. But-ton's at North Waterford, Sunday. A. A. Bruce observed his 85th birthday on March 12.

Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Andrews, Mrs. Laura Plakham and Ben Inman were in Rumford Friday.

Sunday visitors at Harlan Bumpus' were Mrs. Sarah Andrews, Harry Bumpus and daughter, Cora, and Mrs. Richard Merriam and daughters, Madeline, Margaret and Marilyn.

Rev. W. I. Bull was in this vicinity making calls recently. The Hilda Ives Class meeting was postponed Saturday because of the snow storm.

A. A. Bruce was in Bethel, Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Andrews were recent visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Spring.

Kenneth Bumpus spent Monday night with Leg Carroll at Bethel. Congratulations are being extended to Mr. and Mrs. Bud Wilson (nee Betsy Cummings) on the birth of a son, Tuesday, March 14.

The Albany Farm Bureau met with Mrs. Carrie Logan Wednesday afternoon, March, for an afternoon meeting. Nine members and one visitor were present.

Eye-openers were given by the following members: Mrs. Barbara Inman, "Recipe for Spice Cake"; Mrs. Myrtle Keniston, "Helpful suggestions for preserving newspaper clippings," and "fixing shoes so they won't slip on ice"; Mrs. Lillian Kimball, "Machine Stitches Hem." Several communications were read by the secretary. It was voted to donate money for the 4-H Style Dress Revue.

The meeting was adjourned. It was turned over to the Clothing Leaders, Mrs. Lillian Kimball and Mrs. Myrtle Keniston, who demonstrated collar and neckline finishes.

Refreshments were served by the hostess, Mrs. Logan.

Orchard spray schedules are available from Maine's county agents.

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NORTH NEWRY

Mrs. L. E. Wight, Corres.—

A card party was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Davis and son, Norman, went to South Bridgton, Sunday, March 12, to see Aunt Frances Davis. They reported her as comfortable.

Mr. and Mrs. Willard Wight and children left for Machias Sunday morning after spending two weeks with relatives in Newry, Upton and Rumford.

At the annual town meeting held in Newry on March 6, it was voted that the Selectmen appoint a Road Commissioner and George F. Learned has been appointed for the year.

Daniel Wight and son, Kevin, of Rumford called on his parents, Sunday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Jarvis of Bath are visitors at the home of Roy Bennett. They expect to move into the camp in Newry owned by Mrs. P. M. Walker of Rumford.

Owen Wight was at home from Gould Academy last week with the German measles.

Everett Perrin and Mrs. L. E. Wight went to Rumford Sunday to see their sister, Mrs. Claude Herick, who is ill.

The regular meeting of Bear River Grange was postponed Saturday night on account of the storm.

Mrs. Herbert Morton is ill at this writing.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Cummings of Bethel, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Newell, son Charlie, of Locke Mills, were Sunday guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hartley Hanscom.

Miss Carrie Wight, who has been spending several weeks with relatives in Massachusetts returned home Tuesday.

An early morning fire destroyed the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Wight at Upton. The family lost all their clothes. A new washing machine was saved.

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Mrs. O. A. Judkins, Corres.—

Mrs. Roland Bernier and three children are visiting her sister Mrs. Sidney Abbott of East Sumner, for a few days.

Sidney and Gary Abbott spent the week end at their homes in East Sumner.

Ban Barnett is home from his visit in Rumford.

William and Lewis Barnett of Rumford and Mr. and Mrs. Peter Rosenberg of South Paris were Sunday guests at the Abbott House.

Donald Barnett of Berlin, N. H., was the guest of his father, James Barnett, over the week end.

School closed Friday last week. The teacher, Mrs. Doris Brown, her daughter, Sandra, with Miss Mary Douglass as guest, went to Portland for the week of vacation.

Miss Ann Douglass is visiting her grandmother, Mrs. Charles Dodge, of Gorham, N. H., this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray D. Thompson and friends of Natick, Mass., recently spent a few days here at their summer home.

A fire, which started near the oil stove, about 9 A. M. Monday morning, quickly leveled Ban Barnett's house, where Mr. and Mrs. George Wight were living. They were not able to save anything. No one was injured.

GREENWOOD CENTER

Sandra Martin, Correspondent—

Mr. and Mrs. Durward Lang of West Paris were callers at Beryl Martin's, Tuesday night.

Rex Martin of Harrison called on Ross Martin, Friday of last week.

Beryl Martin called on Hollis Cushman Thursday, and on Ray Hanscom, Friday.

Beryl Martin was in Bethel, Friday.

Several people in this vicinity were at the school play Thursday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Merrill of Bethel spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Dwight Martin.

A bear was tracked in this vicinity recently.

SHELBURNE

Moderator, Ralph Peabody
 Clerk, Lawrence E. Philbrook
 Selectmen — C. B. Evans, L. B. Philbrook, Roland Hayes

Treasurer, Charles H. Evans
 Collector, Jos. P. Tanner
 School Committee, Charlotte Wilson

Road Commissioner, Gordon Evans

Appropriations
 Roads and Bridges)

Snow Removal) \$5,400.00

Common Schools)

High School Tuition) 6,709.00

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Total Appropriations) \$23,400.00

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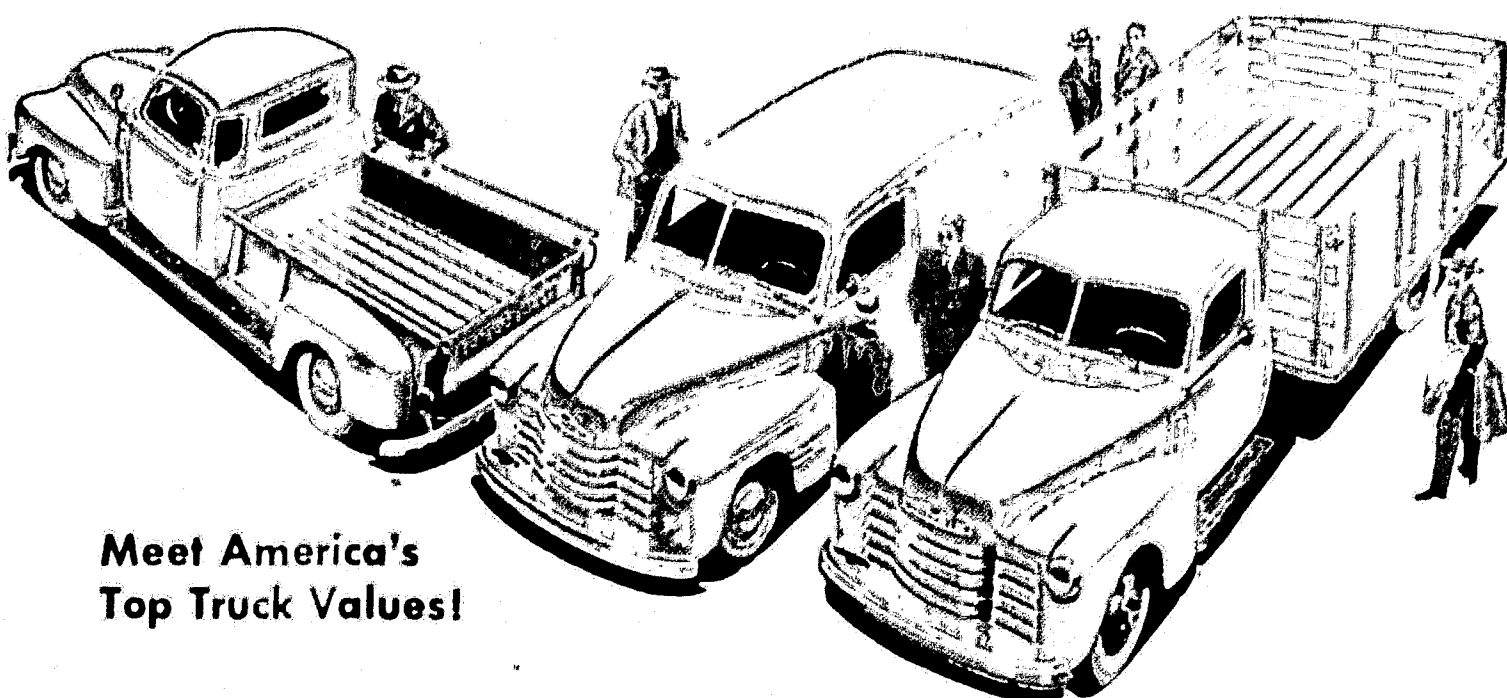
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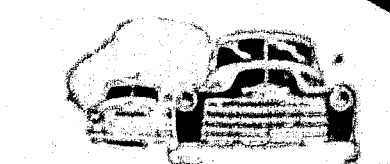
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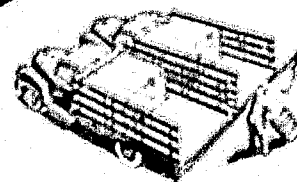
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BETHEL GRAMMAR SCHOOL

Grade Eight:
The fifth and sixth grade student council members are now working on the Easter Frolic, the final party of the year.

Plans are now being worked out for the eighth grade graduation exercises by a committee composed of Mary Kneeland, Jo Anne Horn, Joan Conner, Joan Bennett, Paul Fessett, Arlan Jodrey, Frank Flint and Lee Merrill.

Pictures of the basketball team and the cheerleaders have been taken by Don Brown and are now being shown throughout the school.

The first Math group is now studying the stock market and keeping records of favorite stocks. Designing and the construction of many plane figures is being studied by Group 2.

Grade Seven:
In our recent class meeting the arithmetic fundamentals were talked on, and a contest is to be held between the boys and girls of our room for a period of four weeks, starting March 20. Lillian Lavallee and Eddie Ray Daye are to make the contest slips. The name of the boys team is Jets, and the girls is Fast Fivers.

The Sun Valley Skiers won the spelling contest. The members of this team will get out of school a half hour early, either Thursday or Friday afternoon, March 23 or 24, according to the weather.

A skating party and a sleigh ride was scheduled for Monday night, March 20, for the seventh and eighth grades at the homes of June Merrill and Jane Smith.

Book reports were talked on last

Twenty-five words or less one week, 25 cents; second week, 15 cents; each additional week, 10 cents.

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MISCELLANEOUS

I will collect rubbish in Bethel village Mondays and Tuesdays. Please set it out. Price 50 cents per family. Tel. 68-9. **FLOYD KIMBALL**. 12p

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Tuesday.
We have 22 Maltex box tops. Priscilla Skillings is to send for the games.

Richard Gilman gave sixteen classics to our room.

Grade Six:
The sixth grade had class meeting last Friday the 17th.

We had a lot of fun at last canten. We thank Mrs. Freeman and Mrs. Lord who were our chaperones.

We have started a new spelling contest.

The Portland Sunday Telegram is sponsoring a Spelling Bee for anyone in the 6th, 7th or 8th grade.

Beverly Blake is a new girl in our room.

The Bethel Grammar School has been selling PTA Frolic tickets.

Grade Five:
The seventh grade invited us up to a play on St. Patrick's Day. We enjoyed it very much.

We chose new captains for a spelling contest. They are Howard Gunther and Dennis Robertson.

We voted in class meeting to send Marion Buck either a card or a letter.

We are planning to send her a Sunshine Box.

We are going to have a week's vacation after the twenty-fourth.

BOND SALES AHEAD OF 1949
Sales in Maine of U S Savings Bonds during the first two months of 1950 were 13 per cent ahead of sales for the same period in 1949, according to an announcement just released by the U S Savings Bond Division.

Total Sales of E, F, and G Bonds amounted to \$3,733,639 in January and February this year, as compared to \$3,078,636 in those months last year, an increase of \$655,003.

28 DIVORCES GRANTED AT MARCH COURT

The March term of Superior Court at Rumford adjourned on Tuesday of last week.

Dr. Sylvio Hebert of East Weymouth, Mass., formerly of Rumford, who pleaded nolo contendere to the charge of negligent shooting of Emilie Chabot of Mexico, was fined \$500. Chabot died shortly after he was shot while dragging a deer out of the woods at Roxbury Pond.

Marion Hardy of Canton pleaded guilty to forgery and was sentenced to two to four years at the women's reformatory. Udell Hardy, her husband, who pleaded nolo to uttering checks, received a sentence of two to four years at prison.

Edwin Gray of Oxford pleaded nolo contendere to forgery and was ordered to serve from one to two years in prison.

Mrs. Thelma Matta was sentenced to serve one to two years in prison after pleading nolo to a charge of forgery.

Glen R. Jones of Windham pleaded guilty to breaking, entering and larceny and was sentenced to the men's reformatory. Sentence was suspended and he was placed on probation for two years.

Edwin Jenery of Windham pleaded guilty to the same charge and was sentenced to one to two years in prison.

Waino Kyllonen of Jay, who pleaded guilty to larceny of cattle, was sentenced to serve one to two years in prison.

John Clouthier of Rumford pleaded guilty to attempt to commit larceny, was sentenced to serve nine months in jail.

Divorces
Cruel and abusive treatment: Myrtle Irene Andrews vs. Vernal F. Andrews, both of Sumner; Ruth Jane Clark, Stow, vs. Burton Parks Clark, El Paso, Texas; Arthur G. Kerr, Mexico, vs. Bessie Krolllock Hicks Kerr, Sedalia, Mo.; Beverly J. Hodgdon vs. Charles R. Hodgdon, Fryeburg; Vera J. Ruff, Rumford, vs. Theodore J. Ruff, Lewiston; Laura L. Dudley, Stoneham, vs. Perlen A. Dudley, Norway; Marie Eva Perry vs. Robert W. Perry, Norway; Ruth B. Allen vs. Melvin Allen, Norway; Ella Blanche St. Pierre vs. Orel St. Pierre, Mexico; Ethelyn Edwards, Rumford, vs. William Edwards Jr., Auburn; Rita Brown, Dorchester, Mass., vs. Harold Brown, Rumford; Alfreda Bernard vs. George Bernard, Rumford; Carroll Yates vs. Marjorie Yates, Woodstock; Rose B. Penley, Stoneham, vs. Carlton L. Penley, Fryeburg; Minnie E. Selge vs. Henry M. Selge, Mexico; Virginia D. Ransley, Paris, vs. Thomas A. Ransley, Troy, N. Y.; Theresa Locke vs. George Locke, Rumford; Ella Beth Dires, Mexico, vs. Albert Dires, Saugus, Mass.; Natalie H. Carey vs. Albert S. Carey, Paris; Christine J. McLaughlin vs. Howard R. McLaughlin, Rumford; Herschel O. Knight vs. Barbara N. Knight, Rumford; Vera S. Schultz vs. Robert Schultz, Woodstock; June S. Gay, Paris, vs. Thomas E. Gay, Jr., Bridgton; Sylvio C. Ross vs. Alma Ross, Rumford; Margaret Rumford.

EAST BETHEL

Mrs. Bernice Noyes, Correspondent
Miss Marie Mills of Bethel was a week end guest of Miss Shirley Bartlett.

Mrs. J. C. Bartlett will entertain at a card party, Saturday evening, for the benefit of the women's Farm Bureau. Whist and 63 will be played.

Cynthia Coolidge, Robert Curtis, and Lillian Brooks have been ill with the German measles this week.

Miss Adelle Kimball was home from Rumford Center for the week end.

Mrs. Robert Hastings will entertain at a Canasta Party Saturday evening for the benefit of the women's Farm Bureau.

Ed Kelly went to the CMG Hospital in Lewiston for surgery this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Foss and Mrs. Lawrence Kimball of Lewiston were callers at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Noyes, Sunday. School will close Friday for a week's vacation.

The
LOW DOWN FROM
HICKORY GROVE

You know folks this Mr. Samuel Rayburn—Speaker of the U S A House—if that old boy does not watch his step he is liable to wind up in the White House as the first Lounghorn Pres. of this noble USA. Texas has always been out in the cold, as presidents go, but with the nation in a mood and watering at the mouth for a chance to vote for a guy with vertebrae, that grand and wide country of the Lone Star may not have too long to wait.

How come, says Henry. Well, I says, the paper tells about a "hen-party" that called on Speaker Rayburn, clamoring for Federal disapproval for education—were beating the drum for bigger and bigger swimming pools, etc. Well, Speaker Sam, old boy, stood his ground—that was the Texas in him. Says he, look here, gals, I have taught school. I did not lobby for more money. I was not down in the month sorry for myself, I was not back, and on top of that, he says, once you start handing out a lot of the realm, better sheller as aid to education, you get federal control, sure as shootin', and same is bad medicine.

Brethren and sisters, vertebrae is what Speaker Sam has—vertebrae is not yet completely extinct or in a museum piece—anyway not in Texas.

Yours with the low down,
JO SERRA

B. Ethridge, Norway, vs. Nathan C. Ethridge, Milton Plantation; Frank J. Gastringer vs. Mary J. H. Carey vs. Albert S. Carey, Paris; Christine J. McLaughlin vs. Howard R. McLaughlin, Rumford; Herschel O. Knight vs. Barbara N. Knight, Rumford; Vera S. Schultz vs. Robert Schultz, Woodstock; June S. Gay, Paris, vs. Thomas E. Gay, Jr., Bridgton; Sylvio C. Ross vs. Alma Ross, Rumford; Margaret Rumford.

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GILEAD

Mrs. Florence Holden, Correspondent
Mr. and Mrs. Russell Cole has returned home Monday from St. Augustine, Fla., after spending several weeks there.

Robert Chapman is working for Mrs. Ruth Carver Ames at Bethel.

Mr. and Mrs. Irving Bullock and family of Warren, R. I., have moved into the Wheeler rent.

Harlan Kimball, who has been cutting wood for Dan Coriveau for several months has completed his duties there and moved this week to Swain's camp in Skillington.

Edward Quinn and L. J. Roberts have gone to Berlin, N. H., to resume their duties as brakemen on the Canadian National Railroad.

Raymond Holden was a visitor in Portland one day last week.

LOCKE MILLS

Mrs. Mary Mills, Correspondent
The Community Club met at the school building last Tuesday evening for the regular meeting with 10 members and one visitor present. No new business was discussed and old business matters were postponed to a later meeting. The secretary was instructed to write letters of appreciation to the fire departments that participated at the fire on February 26. Several games were enjoyed with Mary Hazelton and Constance Coolidge winning prizes. Refreshments of sandwiches, cake, coffee and tea were served. Cora Bennett and Florence Ring were appointed to serve on the refreshment committee for the next meeting, and Josephine Batlett and Betty Parker were appointed to serve on the entertainment committee.

The teachers and pupils of the Locke Mills school should be complimented on the fine plays that were presented at the town hall last Thursday evening. The two one-act plays "The Old Sleuth" and "Bargains in Hair Cuts" were very much enjoyed as was the singing before the plays and between plays. A social followed the entertainment and refreshments were sold.

Mrs. Kenneth Wakefield and little son of Lovell have been visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Swan.

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NEWRY

Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm Bachelder have moved in with Mr. and Mrs. James Duran.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Harvey and children, Rumford, visited with her sister, Mrs. George Learned, Sunday.

Elaine Clifford spent Saturday with Patricia Learned.

The Home and School Club held a Whist Party at the home of Mrs. Roy Tripp, Friday night.

William Ball is home for a week visiting with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Powers and children returned home Wednesday after spending a few weeks with her mother in Sunnyfield, Kansas.

Mason were at the CMG hospital last Thursday to see Ernest Cole who is a patient there. Mr. Cole submitted to surgery the first of the week.

Robert Mason returned to his home from the Rumford hospital last week. Edward Chase is still a patient there.

LeRoy Martin, Jr., has returned to the home of Norwood Ford, where he is boarding after visiting with his mother, Mrs. Lawrence Towle and family at Auburn.

Mrs. Mary O'Jen returned to her home at Bronx, N. Y., last week after visiting with her daughter, Mrs. Leland Dunham and family.

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PUBLIC NOTICE

STATE OF MAINE
Registration and Licensing of Dogs
(Chapter 28, Sections 8 to 14, Revised Statutes of 1944, As Amended by P. L. 1945, 1947, 1949.)

Assessors to Make Lists of All Dogs; Returns to Clerks of Cities and Towns and to Commissioner of Agriculture.

Section 8. Assessors of taxes shall include in their inventories, lists of all dogs 6 months old or over owned or kept by any inhabitants on the 1st day of April, setting the number and sex thereof opposite the names of their respective owners or keepers, and shall make returns to the clerks of their respective cities or towns and to the commissioner of agriculture or his authorized agent of such lists on or before the 15th day of June following.

The commissioner of agriculture or his authorized agent shall, on or before the 1st day of September of each year report to the treasurer of state the number of dogs by sex, the number of dogs reported killed, and the number of kennels found in each city or town, together with the amount due the state for dog licenses, on which amount he shall allow credit for all dogs reported killed.

If any city or town fails to remit to the treasurer of state on or before October 15, of each year a sum of money equal to the licenses required by sections 8 to 25, inclusive, on all dogs lying on the 15th day of June preceding, such deficiency shall be added to the state tax of such delinquent city or town for the following year.

Dogs to be Registered Annually.
Section 9. On or before the 1st day of April of each year the owner or keeper of any dog 6 months old or over shall apply to the city or town clerk either orally or in writing for a license for each such dog owned or kept by him. Such application shall state the breed, sex, color, and markings of such dogs and the name and address of the last previous owner.

A fee of one dollar shall be paid the city or town clerk for each license issued on male dogs, and a fee of \$4.00 shall be paid for all female dogs capable of bearing young.

All female dogs shall be considered capable of producing young unless a certificate issued by the commissioner of agriculture and signed by a licensed veterinarian, or previous license record is presented from a licensed veterinarian stating that such female was made incapable of bearing young by spaying by him. When such certificate accompanies the application, a fee of 25c shall then be paid on such spaying of males. In addition to the amount paid for license and tag, each applicant shall pay the city or town clerk 25c for the recording and making a return to the commissioner of agriculture.

Such licenses shall be made in triplicate, the original copy shall be mailed to the commissioner of agriculture, 1 copy given to the person applying for the license, and 1 copy retained by the city or town clerk.

A suitable tag showing the year such license is issued and bearing such other data as the commissioner of agriculture may prescribe shall be given with each license and must be securely attached to a leather or suitable collar which must be worn at all times by the dog for which the license was issued and it shall be unlawful for any person to remove such tag or to place either collar or tag on any dog not described or for which the license was not issued.

Returns from clerks of cities, towns, and plantations showing all licenses issued by them together with a correct report showing the total number of dogs in "both sexes" found by the city or town assessors and the number of dogs killed shall be made to the commissioner of agriculture not later than the 1st day of July each year.

All license blanks and tags shall be furnished by the commissioner of agriculture to the department of agriculture in charge of animal husbandry specialists and the assistant animal husbandry specialist and shall devote their time to the carrying out of the provisions of the dog licensing laws and the adjustment of claims for damages to livestock by dogs and wild animals, and to the promotion of animal husbandry within the state. The expense of furnishing the above-mentioned blanks and tags, and the necessary clerk hire and traveling and the salary of the animal husbandry specialist and the assistant animal husbandry specialist shall be paid from the funds received from the licensing of dogs; provided, however, that money is hereby appropriated out of the dog license receipts for the purposes of this section.

Any person becoming the owner or keeper of a dog after the 1st day of April, not duly licensed as herein required, shall, within 10 days after he becomes the owner or keeper of said dog, cause said dog to be described and licensed as provided above.

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Penalty for Keeping Unlicensed Dog.

Section 12. Whoever keeps a dog contrary to the provisions of sections 8 to 25, inclusive, shall be punished by a fine of not more than \$25 to be recovered by complaint before any trial justice or municipal court in the county where such owner or keeper resides.

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Unlicensed Dogs

Section 12. The municipal officers of each city, town or plantation shall annually within 10 days from the 1st day of June issue a warrant, returnable on the 1st day of July following, to one or more police officers or constables, directing him or them to proceed forthwith to enter complaint and summons to court the owner or keeper of any unlicensed dog. Provided, however, that the said police officer or constable may, before entering such complaint and obtaining such summons, call on the owner or keeper of said dog and demand that he conform with the law and pay the license fees due, and if the owner pays such license fees, he shall pay in addition thereto the officers' fee of \$5, which the officer shall retain and make return and pay over to the city or town clerk the license fees received by him.

On the 1st day of July the municipal officers of cities, towns and plantations shall issue to one or more police officers or constables a warrant returnable on the 1st day of the following February, directing him or them to seek out, catch, and confine all dogs within such city, town, or plantation, which are not licensed, collared and tagged or enclosed as required by sections 8 to 25, inclusive, to enter complaint and summons to court the owner or keeper of any such dog. Such court may order such police officers or constables to sell, give away, kill, or cause to be killed each such dog which after being detained by him or them for a period of not more than 48 hours shall not have been licensed, collared and tagged.

Officers to Make Returns.

Section 13. Each police officer or constable to whom the warrants issued in the 1st and 2nd paragraphs of the preceding section are returned shall return the same at the time specified. Such officers shall receive from the city, town, or plantation the sum of \$2 for each dog killed or otherwise disposed of, and for other services rendered under the provisions of sections 8 to 25, inclusive, they shall receive such compensation as the municipal officers may determine.

Provided, however, that in no case shall such officer be entitled to more than \$2 as a fee for disposing of any dog.

Commissioner of Agriculture To Forward Copies of Postings.

Section 14. The Commissioner of Agriculture shall seasonably forward to the clerks of the several cities, towns, and plantations, copies of the six preceding sections, and each clerk shall annually, at least twenty days before the first day of April, post said copies in the usual places of posting notices of the annual municipal or town elections.

Margaret R. Baker, Clerk
Bethel, Maine, March 11, 1950

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ASSETS DEC. 31, 1949

Real Estate \$125,780.25
Mortgage Loans 327,017.01
Stocks and Bonds 8,870,820.23
Cash in Office and Bank 1,379,944.02
Agents' Balances 1,507,190.39
Bills Receivable 12,478.23
Interest and Rents 36,623.92

Gross Assets \$12,519,744.03
Deduct Items not admitted 181,781.97
Admitted \$12,337,962.06
LIABILITIES DEC. 31, 1949
Net Unpaid Losses \$630,449.04
Unearned Premiums 2,977,774.13
All Other Liabilities 944,172.70
Surplus over all Liabilities 1,826,169.15
Total Liabilities and Surplus \$12,337,962.06

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WOODSTOCK HIGH

Phyllis Hathaway, Corres.
Blouise Dunham has earned her certificate from the Gregg Writer for typing 38 words a minute.

A thank you note has been received from Robert Mason for the cards, letters and the box sent him while he was in the hospital. He tells us he hopes to return to school soon.

Friday night, March 10, our basketball teams went to Mechanic Falls where they won both games. In the preliminary game the girls won, 45-37.

The boys game furnished plenty of excitement and suspense as they began with a lead, lost it, won it back again, and kept repeating the act over and over until they finally won with John Hathaway's basket just before the whistle blew ending the game. The score was 45-44.

Woodstock

Mills	4	0	8
Green	9	1	19
N. Berryment	5	1	11
Levitt	3	0	6
House	0	0	0
B. Hathaway	0	1	1
Totals	21	3	45
Mechanic Falls	0	1	1
Needham	6	1	13
Levitt	0	0	0
Pratt	6	1	13
Ellery	1	3	5
Walker	6	0	12
Patten	19	6	44

LINCOLN PLANTATION
Moderator, D. Clinton Bennett
Clerk, Marjorie Littlehale
Assessors - D. Clinton Bennett, William O. Adams, A. Donald Cameron

Treasurer and Collector, Lewis Olson
School Committee, Florence Adams
Road Commissioner, L. Werner Littlehale

Appropriations

Roads and Bridges \$750.00
Snow Removal 1,700.00
Common Schools 2,500.00
High School Tuition 2,500.00
School Supplies

Textbooks 350.00
Public Health Nurse 15.00
Interest and Note 723.00
Officers' Salaries 823.00
State Aid Road 1,400.00
Road Machine Acct. 350.00
Fish Acct. 50.00
Cemetery Acct. 50.00
Fire Department Acct. 350.00
Town House Acct. 500.00
Town Expenses 400.00
School House Acct. 150.00
Total Appropriation \$12,284.00

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GROVER HILL-MASON

Mrs. M. C. Mundt, Corres.
Mrs. Cleve Waterhouse spent an afternoon with Ada Bean, recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Hart and family are residing with Ed Hall. John Westleigh was home from Casco for a few days recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Abbott and son have been recent callers of Mr. and Mrs. Cleve Waterhouse.

Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm Mundt were in Portland and Westbrook last Tuesday. Peggy spent the day with Mrs. Ernest Mundt.

Guy Morrill was home over the week end.

MIDDLE INTERVAL
- Mrs. Augustus Carter, Corres. -

Richard Lawrence has moved into his camp after spending the winter at Augustus Carter's.

Richard Carter has purchased a 1950 Ford pick-up truck.

Mrs. Laura Bennett, Mrs. Joseph Baker and Beverly Onofrio were visitors of Mrs. Augustus Carter, Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Angelo Onofrio were callers in the evening.

Larry Cummings of Locke Mills visited Timmy Carter, Sunday.

"Mush" McMillin took the children to the movies by bus Friday night.

Harold Bartlett took Bill Hall to Jackman, Thursday. Mr. Hall has been spending the winter with his sister, Mrs. Winifred Bartlett.

FORESTRY FACTS
"Timely Topics for Poultrymen," and "The Milk Pail" are mimeographed circulars sent regularly to Maine farmers who request them. County Agents are glad to add interested farmers to their free mailing lists.

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Nobody's Business

From time to time we become impressed with apparent lack of cooperation and mutual understanding, the fostered mistrust or suspicion or jealousy of the deeds or motives of others. We realize that there is nothing new about this lack of toleration, but there can be no harm in presenting this week a few much quoted observations which may help us to see more clearly.

Ella Wheeler Wilcox wrote:
So many gods, so many creeds,
So many paths that wind and wind,
When just the art of being kind
Is all the law and world needs.

Paul the Apostle told the Corinthians:

Though I have all faith, so that I could remove mountains, and have not charity, I am nothing. . . Charity suffereth long, and is kind; charity envieth not; charity vaunteth not itself, is not puffed up, doth not behave itself unseemly, seeketh not iniquity, but rejoiceth in the truth; beareth all things, believeth all things, hopeth all things, endureth all things. Charity never faileth: but whether there be prophecies, they shall fail; whether there be tongues, they shall cease; whether there be knowledge, it shall vanish away. . . And now abideth faith, hope, charity, these three; but the greatest of these is charity.

There is nothing to do with men but to love them; to contemplate their virtues with admiration, their faults with pity and forbearance, and their injuries with forgiveness. — Dewey.

Diplomacy Is Among Nations

A decision of profound historical importance is shaping in Washington over the question whether the post vacated by Myron Taylor as the American President's personal representative to the Vatican should be refilled, discontinued, or replaced by a regular envoy of permanent status.

This newspaper has stated reasons which seem to it convincing why the mission, begun in wartime as a "temporary" expedient, should be positively ended. On this we are in accord with the Federal Council of Churches of Christ in America, which recently protested that "the maintenance of diplomatic relations with the Vatican confers on one church a special status not held by other churches in relation to government."

The basis of diplomatic representation under the American constitutional tradition of separation of church and state is an exchange of envoys between sovereign governments to deal with civil affairs. In this basis the Vatican state is smaller in area and population than principalities to which the United States does not send even a consul.

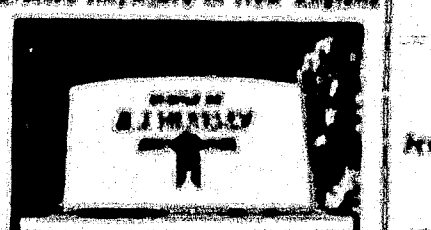
Is it then implied that the Holy See should be recognizing as the head of a religious organization claiming millions of adherents in various lands already represented by ambassadors and ministers in Washington? To do so would be to confuse the basis of representation.

No one seriously urges that similar diplomatic missions be sent to the leaders of other numerically important religions in the world—Mohammedanism, Hinduism, the Eastern Orthodox, Episcopalians, Lutherans or other churches. To add such a department of diplomacy

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Years Ago

19 YEARS AGO

Elmer Bean accepted the position of night watchman in the Village Corporation.

Installation of officers of Squadron 81, Sons of the American Legion, was held at the Bethel Grange Hall.

26 YEARS AGO

Mumps were prevalent in Bethel village, especially among Academy students.

Several from Bethel attended the opening game of the Bates tournament at Lewiston when Gould was defeated by Cheverus High School of Portland, 51-25.

Mr and Mrs William Hutchinson entertained a party of 18 on their 20th wedding anniversary.

26 YEARS AGO

Bethel town meeting was adjourned a week because of the weather and poor traveling. The pay of the selectmen was increased to \$350 and the road commissioner to \$500 per day. It was voted to sell the corn shop property to F. J. Tyler for \$1500.

The Maine Department of Health stated that at least 10 years had been added to the span of human life in the preceding 60 years.



"NONE OF YOUR BUSINESS"—The meek little lion cub, one-third of litter born at Franklin Park Zoo (Boston), gets close-up of his mama's dental armament as she shows her resentment at being photographed.

macy would point up the confusion involved.

It is urged that the Vatican is important as the information-gathering center of a vast organization engaged in struggle with a common opponent, communism. But the United States Government can still receive all the information the Vatican wishes to give without maintaining an ambassador as intermediary, and can oppose communism the more effectively by reaffirming its long-held principles against the mixing of statecraft with ecclesiasticism.

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CHURCH ACTIVITIES

METHODIST CHURCH

Rev. F. Ernest Smith, Pastor

The Pastor of the Methodist Church will speak at the morning service next Sunday on "Companionship with Jesus."

Sunday School at 9:45 and Youth Fellowship at 6:30 P. M.

Choir practice Thursday at 7:00 in the vestry.

The Sacrament of Baptism will be administered at the Palm Sunday service, April 2, and the Reception of Members, Easter morning. All desiring baptism for themselves or their children should contact the pastor within the next few days. Special instruction for Church Membership will be given during Holy Week, April 2 to 9, the hours to be announced.

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

Rev. K. W. Hawthorne, Minister

The Church School will meet at nine-thirty on Sunday.

"Dust on the King's Highway" will be the topic of the Pastor's sermon Sunday morning, at the regular hour of divine worship, eleven o'clock.

Fellowship meeting, Thursday evening at seven in the Chapel.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE CHURCH

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Golden Text: Since the beginning of the world men have not heard, nor perceived by the ear, neither hath eye seen. O God, beside thee, what he hath prepared for him that waiteth for him" (Isaiah 64:4).

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March 14, by Rev. Alton Verrill, Phelps Poland of Woodstock and Miss Joan Tamminen of Greenwood.

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day, winding up with the annual dairymen's supper that evening. Professor D. W. Baker, of Cornell University; W. H. Riddell and L. H. Smith of the University of Vermont; and T. G. Sitts, of Boston, are among the speakers. On Thursday morning, the Maine Livestock Breeders' sessions will feature Gavin McKerron, dairy farmer from Pownance, Wisconsin, and Hilton Boynton, Extension dairyman at the University of New Hampshire. The various Maine dairy breed associations will hold luncheon meetings.

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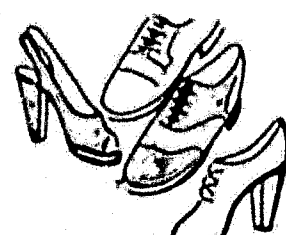
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